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Application No.: 09/943,579 Group: 1642
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COMBINING GENE PREDICTIONS USING BAYESIAN NETWORKS

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- [] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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| TOTAL | 13 | MINUS | * 20 | 0 | X \$9 | \$ | | X \$18 | \$ 0 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | | + \$140 | \$ | | + \$280 | \$ |
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[X] A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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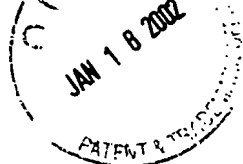
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